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TO SECSTATE WASHDC 5645

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E.O. 11652: N/A

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SUBJ: CONSULAR PACKAGE - FY-1978

REF: STATE 096907

SCHEDULE I-IMMIGRANT VISAS

VFBUREAU: ARA/BR

COUNTRY AND POST: BRASILIA, BRAZIL

FY-1975 FY-1976 FY-1977 FY-1978

ACTUAL ESTIMATE ESTIMATE ESTIMATE

10/1/74 TO 10/1/75 TO 10/1/76 TO 10/1/77 TO

9/30/75 9/30/76 9/30/77 9/30/78

1. IV'S ISSUED THE POST DOES NOT ISSUE IV'S. HOWEVER, IT
2. IV'S REFUSED DOES RECEIVE A SIGNIFICANT NUMBER OF INQUIRIES
3. TOTAL IV CASES IN THIS FIELD, AND ADVISES AND ASSISTS IN THE
PREPARATION AND INITIAL PROCESSING OF 15-20
I-600 AND I-130 PETITIONS PER YEAR.

MAN-HOURS UTILIZED

AMERICAN:

4. FULL TIME PERMANENT 10 35 40 40

5. TEMPORARY DETAIL -- -- -- --

6. PIT -- -- -- --

7. SUB-TOTAL AMERICAN

MAN HOURS 10 35 40 40

LOCAL:

8. FULL TIME PERMANENT 20 25 30 35

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9. TEMPORARY DETAIL -- -- -- --

10 PIT -- -- --

11. SUB-TOTAL LOCAL

MAN-HOURS 20 25 30 35

12. TOTAL IV MAN-HOURS 30 60 70 75

PERCENT OF TOTAL IV CASES REQUIRING:

13. USE OF INTERPRETER N/A N/A N/A N/A

19. PARAKEET OR BOULDER N/A N/A N/A N/A

2:/6/6"1:&:97,546 :#3:(/A N/A N/A N/A

SCHEDULE II-NON-IMMIGRANT VISAS:

BUREAU: ARA/BR

COUNTRY AND POST: BRASILIA, BRAZIL

21. NIV'S ISSUED 4607 5600 &625 7945

22. NIV'S REFUSED 23 55 70 80

23. TOTAL NIV CASES 4630 5655 6695 8025

MAN-HOURS UTILIZED:

AMERICAN:

24. FULL TIME PERMANENT 600 750 900 1080

25. TEMPORARY DETAIL NRQK 7 -- --

26. PIT -- -- CICBQJPTA --

27. SUB-TOTAL AMERICAN

MAN-HOURS 600 750 900 1080

LOCAL:

28. FULL TIME PERMANENT 1310 1780 2465 2965

29. TEMPORARY DETAIL -- -- -- --

30. PIT 470 420 -- --

31. SUB-TOTAL LOCAL

MAN-HOURS. 1780 2200 2465 2965

32 TOTAL NIV MAN-HOURS 2380 2950 3365 4045

37. NIV FEES COLLECTED DOLJQRWMP

38. BORDER C. CARDS

FY-75 --

39. CREW LIST VISAS FY-75 12

40. NAMES ON CREW LIST

VISAS FY-75 329

PERCENT OF TOTAL NIV CASES REQUIRING:

41. INTERVIEWS 2 3 3 3

42. USE OF INTERPRETER -- -- -- --

43. PARAKEET OR BOULDER 1 -- -- --

44. THIRD COUNTRY CHECK 1 1 1 1

SCHEDULE III-SPECIAL CONSULAR SERVICES

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BUREAU: ARA/BR

COUNTRY AND POST: BRASILIA, BRAZIL

46. AMERICAN CITIZEN

DEATHS 2 3 4 4

47. ESTATE/PROPERTY CLAIMS 43 43 45 45

48. NOTARIALS 308 520 620 ZZ

49. WELFARE/WHEREABOUTS 21 28 32 36

50. ARRESTS 1 3 3 3

51. SEAMEN AND SHIPPING	--	--	--	--
52. OTHER AGENCY SERVICES	43	48	52	56
53. TOTAL SCS CASES	418	645	756	864
MAN-HOURS UTILIZED:				
AMERICAN:				
54. FULL TIME PERMANENT	1320	1380	1430	1480
55. TEMPORARY DETAIL	--	--	--	--
56. PIT	--	--	--	--
57. SUB-TOTAL AMERICAN				
MAN-HOURS	1320	1380	1430	1480
LOCAL:				
58. FULL TIME PERMANENT	580	650	900	950
59. TEMPORARY DETAIL	--	--	--	--
60. PIT	170	200	0	0
61. SUB-TOTAL LOCAL				
MAN-HOURS	750	850	900	950
62. TOTAL SCS MAN-HOURS	2070	2230	2330	2430
68. TREASURY CHECKS FY-75	35	35	35	35
SCHEDULE IV-CITIZENSHIP AND PASSPORT SERVICES:				
BUREAU: ARA/BR				
COUNTRY AND POST: BRASILIA, BRAZIL				
69. PPT APPLICATIONS				
EXECUTED	237	230	255	270
70. PPT APPLICATIONS				
EXAMINED	--	--	--	--

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71. FEE PASSPORTS ISSUED	192	200	220	235
72. NO-FEE PPT'S ISSUED	2	2	2	2
73. PPT'S AMENDED OR				

EXTENDED	69	84	97	110
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74. NEW REGISTRATION

APPLICATIONS	150	190	210	240
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75. REPORTS OF BIRTH 54HU 60 67 75

76. WITNESS TO MARRIAGE -- -- -- --

77. WAIVER OF PASSPORTS -- -- -- --

78. SUB-TOTAL PPT CASES 704 766 851 932

79. IDENTITY CARDS ISSUED -- -- -- --

80. TOTAL PPT CASES 704 766 851 932

MAN-HOURS UTILIZED:

AMERICAN:

81. FULL TIME PERMANENT	150	165	185	210
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82. TEMPORARY DETAIL -- -- -- --

83. PIT -- -- -- --

84. SUB-TOTAL AMERICAN

MAN-HOURS	150	165	185	210
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LOCAL:

85. FULL TIME PERMANENT	200	245	305	335
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86. TEMPORARY DETAIL -- -- -- --

87. PIT 50 30 -- --

88. SUB-TOTAL LOCAL

MAN-HOURS	250	275	305	N335
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89. TOTAL PPT MAN-HOURS 400 440 490 545

95. AMERICANS REGISTERED

(3/31/76) 2200

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AMERICAN CITIZEN RESIDENT:

96. OFFICIALS (INCLUDING

DEPENDENTS) 320

97. NON-OFFICIALS 2650

SCHEDULE V - CONDITIONS AND JUSTIFICATIONS:

BUREAU: ARA/BR

COUNTRY AND POST: BRASILIA, BRAZIL

FY-1975

HOURS GAINED AMERICAN LOCAL

OVERTIME 250 ----

HOURS LOST

DETAILS OUT ---- ----

STAFFING GAPS ---- ----

PROLONGED LEAVE ---- ----

SCHEDULE VI - POSITIONS:

BUREAU: ARA/BR

COUNTRY AND POST: BRASILIA, BRAZIL

AMERICANS VISAS SCS PPT GENERAL TOTAL

105. AUTHORIZED 6/30/75 3/10 6/10 1/10 0 1

106. AUTHORIZED 3/31/76 3/10 6/10 1/10 0 1

107. FILLED 3/31/76 3/10 6/10 1/10 0 1

INCREASE/DECREASE: 0 0 0 0 0

108. REQUIRED FY-1977 0 0 0 0 0

109. REQUIRED FY-1978 0 0 0 0 0

LOCALS:

105. AUTHORIZED 6/30/75 6/10 3/10 1/10 0 1

106. AUTHORIZED 3/31/76 1 2/10 6/10 2/10 0 2

107. FILLED 3/31/76 6/10 3/10 1/10 0 1

INCREASE/DECREASE:

108. REQUIRED FY-1977 0 0 0 0 0

109. REQUIRED FY-1978 0 0 0 0 0

1) REMARKS: IN PLACE OF A PART TIME POSITION, THE POST WAS AUTHORIZED AN ADDITIONAL FULL TIME LOCAL POSITION ON 2/23/76, WHICH WAS FILLED BY AN FSL 8 EFFECTIVE 4/6/76. THE NEW POSITION WILL PERMIT THE POST TO MEET INCREASES IN WORKLOAD ANTICIPATED OVER THE NEXT 3-5 FISCAL YEARS.

2) THOSE INCREASES WILL STEM PRIMARILY FROM HIGHER NIV ISSUANCE. ESTABLISHED SEASONAL TRENDS, AS WELL AS RETURNS FROM THE FIRST HALF OF FY-1976, POINT STRONGLY TO A 20-25 PERCENT INCREASE THIS UNCLASSIFIED

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YEAR IN ISSUANCE-- A GROWTH RATE CHARACTERISTIC OF THE PERIOD SINCE FY-1974. GROWTH WAS EVEN MORE EXPLOSIVE IN THE EARLY 1970'S, WHEN THE TRANSFER OF FEDERAL FUNCTIONS TO BRASILIA WAS STILL IN HIGH GEAR; WHEN THE LOCAL TOURIST INDUSTRY WAS DEVELOPING ATTRACTIVE TOURIST PACKAGES TO THE U.S.; AND WHEN THE NUMERICAL BASE FOR PERCENTAGE INCREASES WAS RELATIVELY SMALL. COMING AS IT DOES AFTER THE CONSOLIDATION OF THESE TRENDS, THE GROWTH OF THE LAST SEVERAL YEARS RESPONDS TO LESS VOLATILE FACTORS AND REPRESENTS A BETTER BASIS FOR FUTURE PROJECTIONS. THE FOLLOWING CONSTANTS POINT TO A CONTINUED GROWTH AT THIS "MATURED" RATE; 1) GROWING AFFLUENCE COUPLED WITH THE AVAILABILITY AND VIGOROUS PROMOTION OF GROUP TOURS (PARTICULARLY TO DISNEY WORLD) AT ATTRACTIVE PRICES AND LIBERAL FINANCING 2) INCREASED TRAVEL TO THE U.S. BY BRAZILIAN GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS AND EMPLOYEES OF MIXED-ECONOMY CORPORATIONS HEADQUARTERED IN BRASILIA, AS A CONSEQUENCE OF DEEPENING ECONOMIC INTERDEPENDENCE AND THE PROLIFERATION OF CONSULTATIVE MECHANISMS WITHIN THE FRAMEWORK OF THE EVOLVING "SPECIAL RELATIONSHIP" BETWEEN THE U.S. AND BRAZIL; EXPANSION OF PRIVATE STUDENT EXCHANGE PROGRAMS, PARTICULARLY OPEN DOOR; GROWTH OF GOVERNMENT SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAMS TO U.S. INSTITUTIONS, WITH VISA ISSUANCE COORDINATED BETWEEN THIS POST AND THE MINISTRY OF EDUCATION AND CULTURE IN BRASILIA; CONTINUED MOVEMENT OF POPULATION AND DEVELOPMENT RESOURCES INTO THE AMAZON REGION AND THE FEDERAL DISTRICT.

3) PASSPORT SERVICES WILL KIKELY REGISTER ONLY MODEST INCREASES IN THE MEDIUM TERM, REFLECTING A SIMILAR RATE OF GROWTH OF THE AMERICAN COMMUNITY IN THE CONSULAR DISTRICT. THAT COMMUNITY IS THE PRODUCT OF

NOW SUBSIDED WAVES OF SETTLEMENT BY MISSIONARIES, PIONEER FARMERS, AND
D
USG PERSONNEL TRANSPLANTED FROM RIO DE JANEIRO.

4) SCS CASES ARE A LESS PREICTABLE COMPONENT, BUT ARE ALSO LIKELY
TO INCREASE, ALBEIT AT A MODERATE RATE, AS THE RESULT OF -)
INCREMENTAL INCREASES IN THE SIZE OF THE AMERICAN COMMUNITY
2) ANNUAL GROWTH IN AMERICAN TOURISM TO BRASILIA, CURRENTLY
ESTIMATED AT 10-20 PERCENT PER YEAR
BY THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT TOURIST DEPARTMENT, BUT POSSIBLY DUE TO
RISE IN RESPONSE TO GOB PROMOTIONAL CAMPAIGNS NOW BEING ORGANIZED
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ABROAD. BRASILIA WILL RECEIVE PROMINENT PLAY IN THOSE CAMPAIGNS.

5) THE LARGE NUMBER OF MAN-HOURS (PARTICULARLY AMERICAN) DEVOTED TO
SCS MATTERS REQUIRES EXPLANATION. THE POST IS IN A RATHER UNIQUE
POSITION: IT SERVES A RELATIVELY SMALL CONSTITUENCY FOR VISAS AND
PASSPORT SERVICES, BUT IS NONETHLESS SITUATED IN THE CAPITAL OF THE
LARGEST COUNTRY IN LATIN AMERICA. AS SUCH, MUCH OF ITS EFFORTS
RESPNFD TO REQUIREMENTS WHICH ARE NOT SPECIFICALLY REFLECTED IN THE
ORGANIZATION OF THE CONSULAR PACKAGE, ALTHOUGH FOR MAN-HOUR ACCOUNTIN
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PURPOSES, WE HAVE IN MOST CASES ENTERED THE TIME EXPENDED UNDER THE
HEADING OF SCS. THESE REQUIREMENTS INCLUDE, BUT ARE NOT LIMITED TO,
THE FOLLOWING: 1) RESPONDING TO A BRISK FLOW OF CORRESPONDENCE
(PRIMARILY FROM THE UNITED STATES) ON A BROAD RANGE OF TOPICS 2)
DRAFTING REPLIES (COORDINATED AS APPROPRIATE WITH CONSTITUENT POSTS)
TO CONGRESSIONAL CORRESPONDENCE TO THE AMBASSADOR ON CONSULAR TOPICS
3) REPRESENTING THE EMBASSY IN DEALINGS WITH THE BRAZILIAN FOREIGN
MINISTRY ON VISA AND OTHER CONSULAR MATTERS 4) PROCUREMENT OF VISAS
FROM DIPLOMATIC MISSIONS IN BRASILIA FOR TRAVEL BY USG PERSONNEL
OR DEPENDENTS TO THIRD COUNTRIES 5) COORDINATION, WHEN REQUESTED BY
THE DEPARTMENT, OF CONSTITUENT POST RESPONSES TO DEPARTMENT INQUIRIES
(THERE ARE SIX CONSTITUENT POSTS IN BRAZIL 6) RESEARCHING ANSWERS TO
DEPARTMENT REQUESTS FOR INFORMATION FROM BRAZIL ON TOPICS OF CONSULAR
INTEREST.

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6. CURRENT PROJECTIONS INDICATE A STEADILY RISING OVERTIME REQUIREMENT

FOR THE ONE FULL-TIME AMERICAN EMPLOYEE, ON THE HYPOTHESIS THAT SCS REQUIREMENTS (INCLUDING THOSE JUST CITED) REMAIN UNDIMINISHED, WHILE NIV CASES GROW IN NUMBER. IT IS POSSIBLE THAT THIS OVERTIME COMPONENT CAN BE REDUCED BY STEAMLINING OF OPERATIONS AND THE DELEGATION OF CERTAIN RESPONSIBILITIES TO THE ADDITIONAL FULL-TIME LOCAL EMPLOYEE; FOR THIS REASON, THE POST AT THIS TIME DOES NOT RECOMMEND AN INCREASE IN THE AMERICAN COMPLEMENT WITHIN THE FORECAST PERIOD. HOWEVER, IT IS LIKELY THAT AN ADDITIONAL PART-TIME OR EVEN FULL TIME AMERICAN POSITION WILL BECOME NECESSARY BY FY-1980.

SCHEDULE VII - FEDERAL BENEFITS, FRAUD, ETC.:

BUREAU: ARA/BR

COUNTRY & POST: BRASILIA, BRAZIL

A. FEDERAL BENEFITS ACTIVITY:

NUMBER OF SSA REIMBURSED:

AMERICAN: 0 LOCAL 0

HOURS WORKED BY OCCUPANTS OF THESE POSITIONS ON WORK OTHER THAN FEDERAL BENEFITS:

AMERICAN: G/A LOCAL: N/A

HOURS WORKED BY REGULAR (NON-REIMBURSED) CONSULAR EMPLOYEES ON FEDERAL BENEFITS:

AMERICAN: 4 LOCAL: 6

ESTIMATED INCREASE OVER FIVE YEARS AGO: NIL

ESTIMATED INCREASE DURING NEXT FIVE YEARS: NIL

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OUTSIDE INVESTIGATIONS - (CHECK ONE)

(1) NOT DONE

(2) DONE BY SY

(3) DONE BY CONSULAR SECTION: X

(A) SPECIAL FRAUD UNIT OF

(B) REGULAR PERSONNEL: X

IF DONE BY CONSULAR UNIT - MANHOURS FOR:

AMERICAN: 2 LOCAL: 0

VISA APPLICATIONS: ALL RATE OF INCREASE/DECREASE: STABLE

PPT APPLICATIONS: NIL RATE OF INCREASE/DECREASE: N/A

DONE FOR INS: NIL RATE OF INCREASE/DECREASE: N/A

(SCHEDULE VII CONTINUED)

C. MISSION INTEREST CASES - DOES NOT HAVE FORMAL REFERRAL SYSTEM:

YES-----DESCRIBE

NO-----HOW ARE MISSION INTEREST CASES USUALLY HANDLED? N/A

D. NUMBER OF AMERICAN CITIZENS IN JAIL:

AS OF 3/31/76: 0 RATE IF INCREASE OR DECREASE: NIL

(A) IS EMBASSY NOTIFIED IMMEDIATELY WHEN US CITIZENS ARRESTED? IF

NO, EXPLAIN? - THE VERY LIMITED NUMBER OF ARRESTS IN THIS DISTRICT DO

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NOT PROVIDE A BASIS IN EXPERIENCE FOR A DEFINITIVE ANSWER TO THIS

QUESTION. THE FEW CASES THAT HAVE ARISEN LEAD US TO BELIEVE THAT WE

WOULD BE NOTIFIED PROMPTLY OF ARRESTS OCCURRING IN BRASILIA ITSELF

AND ITS ENVIRONS, WHILE NEWS OF ARRESTS IN THE INTERIOR WOULD REACH U

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INDRECTLY THUGH THE NATIONAL POLICE DIRECTORATE IN BRASILIA WITH

A CONSEQUENT DELAY OF FROM ONE TO TWO WEEKS, OCCASIONED BY NORMAL

LAGS IN BUREAUCRATIC REPORTIN CHANNELS.

(B) DESCRIBE ANY PROTECTION PROBLEMS: SERVERE SENTENCES,

UNRELIABLE LAWYERS, PHYSICAL ABUSE, POOR LIVING CONDITIONS,

ETC: NONE

(C) DESCRIBE POST'S PROTECTION PROGRAM, INCLUDING

VISITATION AND MAN-HOURS USED, IN ARREST CASES: N/A.

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